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**AMENDMENT B**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 15, 2002,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**In the Specification**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 3, with  
the following rewritten paragraph: